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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

Rebecca VanHattem and Genia Castillo,  
individually, on behalf of others similarly  
situated, and on behalf of the general  
public,

Plaintiffs,

v.

United Mortgage Group, Inc., Parminder  
Johal, Peter Johal a/k/a Petr Johal, and  
DOES 1-10 inclusive,

Defendants.

**08-CV-1065 PJH**

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1 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that pursuant to 29 U.S.C. § 216, Plaintiffs hereby file the  
2 attached Consent Form(s) for the following person(s):

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5 Dated: May 19, 2008

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**CONSENT FORM AND DECLARATION**

I hereby consent to join the lawsuit against United Mortgage, et al, as a Plaintiff to assert claims for violations of the wage and hour laws of the United States and/or the state where I worked for United Mortgage, et al. During the past three years, there were occasions when I worked over 40 hours per week for United Mortgage and did not receive overtime compensation.

I worked for United Mortgage Group, et al, as a (please check all that apply):

☒ Assistant Mortgage Executive

☒ Mortgage Executive

☐ Other (Specify Title: \_\_\_\_\_)

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

**Josh Bennett**

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 19, 2008, I caused the following document:

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